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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/529,742

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For: POLISHING PAD FOR SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER AND LAMINATED BODY FOR POLISHING OF SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER EQUIPPED WITH THE SAME AS WELL AS METHOD FOR POLISHING OF

SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER

Group Art Unit: 1765

Examiner: CHEN, KIN CHAN

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Request for Reconsideration

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